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The following is a concise statement of relevance of the non-English language document:

1. Japanese Patent Publication No. 2002-027429 - discloses a method of receiving data of subtitles via internet, etc., and displaying it. The relevance of this document is also discussed at page 1 of the specification of the present application. Also, an English-language abstract of this document is enclosed.

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